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In re the Application of: **KAWAHARA, Yasuyuki et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1625**

Serial No.: **10/019,287**

Examiner: **Taylor V. Oh**

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**P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 1458**

**FOR: DICARBOXYLIC DIESTER, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND  
REFRIGERATING MACHINE LUBRICATING OIL COMPRISING THE ESTER**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 1625**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 24, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **August 1, 2006**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 58 of this paper.